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WAR BETWEEN UNITED STATES AND GERMANY SEEMS INEVITABLE

Germany has notified the world that neutral merchant ships would be torpedoes without notice commencing on Feb. 1st.

Despatches from Washington indicate that President Wilson has given Ambassador Bristow in Germany. In official circles the view seems to be generally held that the United States could not let the situation stand unchallenged.

Germany claims to possess 30 giant U-boats, having a cruising radius of 6,000 miles, a speed of 18 knots on surface and 12 submerged and capable of carrying five weeks' provisions. Undoubtedly the period of frightfulness, so long threatened by the Huns, has arrived, and that during the next few months we may expect to hear of terrible losses at sea.

Britain's navy, however, never sleeps, and there may be some surprises awaiting the German submarines.

Rural Credits

A matter of great interest to the farmers was the statement made by Hon. C. B. Mitchell, to the convention of the intention of the government to enact legislation providing for long credit loans for farmers.

Hon. C. B. Mitchell, in addressing the convention on the subject of rural credits, remarked that the object of the act was to lower the rates of interest on farm loan mortgages and to provide for long term loans with repayment principle and amortization plan. A board would be formed having conservative powers to be known as the Alberta Farm Loan Board, in consist of three to five directors, in which the U.F.A. and the rural municipal organizations would have adequate representation.

A commissioner would be appointed who would undertake the economic work in connection with the loaning of money for the general management of the business. The commissioner of the board would be appointed by the lieutenant-governor-in-council.

Over Thirty Years

Mortgages would be over a period of 30 years, but might be repaid on any interest date after a period of five years. The rate of interest would not be made by the bill, but would be on a basis of actual cost of management plus 1 per cent.

Repayments would be at the rate of 6 per cent, and arrangements would be made by the bill, but would be on a basis of actual cost of management plus 1 per cent.

The purpose of the loans was to acquire land for agricultural purposes, the use of livestock, machinery, equipment, location of buildings and improvements, and for any purpose which would increase the productivity of the land. Applicants must at the time be engaged in intending to cultivate the land mortgage.

A Reserve Fund

A reserve fund would be created and a sinking fund to cover repayment of principal. The bonds would have the guarantee of the province as to the repayment of principal and interest. The mortgagee takes title placed in trust as an additional security for the payment of the bonds and as protection to the province in case of loss and payment under the guarantee.

Working Capital

With regard to working capital the province would make an initial loan or advance for a line of credit to commerce business. Bonds might be issued up to the amount of the loan, and securities held as security for the issue. The bonds would be marketed through the treasury department and the proceeds placed at the disposal of the board.

The U. F. A.

The convention held closed last week was the largest and most enthusiastic ever held by the U.F.A. Over 750 delegates registered, and besides these there were as many more visitors. President Wood was re-elected as president, while the vice-presidents for the coming year are: W. J. Trago, Glenora; James W. Parkland, John H. Wood, Wainwright; S. S. Dunham, Lethbridge.

Many important matters were discussed and definite stand taken on questions of vital interest to the farmers. The following platform was adopted, not with any intention of entering into politics, but as an expression of the views and wishes of the farmers of Alberta, and copies of it were ordered to be sent to the members of both the Dominion and Provincial parliaments.

1. Immediate reduction of the duty on sugar imposed by the tariff to one-half the rates at present charged under the present tariff, and that further uniform reduction be made which will insure complete free trade with the mother country within five years.
 2. That the reciprocity agreement of 1911 which still remains on the United States statute books be accepted by the parliament of Canada.
 3. That all foodstuffs not included in the reciprocity agreement be placed on the free list.
 4. That agricultural implements, farm machinery, vehicles, fertilizers, coal, lumber, cement, and illuminating oils and lubricating oil be placed on the free list.
 5. That the customs tariff on all necessities of life be materially reduced.
 6. That all tariff concessions granted to other countries be immediately extended to Great Britain.
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Claresholm Local News

—Alberta Rooms now open. 49-4

LOST—A Canon Brooch, last Tues-
day. Finder please notify C. Brown.

Bob Larkin was visiting in Calgary
last Saturday.

Constable Langenshoff was visiting
town this week.

Mr. Tom Wilson of Calgary arrived
in town last Monday, to take a position
as janitor of the public school.

Mr. Patterson is visiting for a few
days at Staveland, the guest of J. Ar-
mstrong.

Miss Richards and Miss Huxley,
of Grasmere, were visitors here Sat-
urday evening.

Mrs. Leo Schoof has returned home
after a prolonged stay in the East.
Leo has cheered up considerably.

Miss Noble, of the Bank of Com-
merce staff, has been transferred to
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Word was received from Pie H.
Duffy that he has been admitted to
the hospital. Nothing definite was
said regarding his ailment.

Messrs. Shanks, Brown, Wyatt and
E. Moffatt returned on Saturday
from Calgary, after spending the
week at the bungalow.

The hockey match between Staveland
and Claresholm, last Friday, resulted
in a victory for Claresholm. The
score stood 9 to 2.

Four Staveland girls played Clag-
ston curlers last Friday. The score
in each case was in favor of Clag-
ston.

The St. John's Literary evening,
(Thursday, Feb. 8), will be taken up
by Mrs. Joe McKinnon. The subject
of the address will be "Canadian
Poetry."

Leo Schoof, while driving his Ford,
managed to turn into John MacIntyre's
car. His own car was badly damaged
and will be on the sick list for some
weeks.

The Alberta Temperance and Moral
Reform League will hold its annual
convention on Feb. 14th, in the City
Edmonton. Delegates should be
appointed at once.

Conrad Dr. H. Muckelburg, the
well-known eye sight specialist, at the
Queen's hotel, on Monday, Feb. 19th.
The best for your eyes at moderate
prices. 49-3

Arnold Fraser, who joined the
municipal police some months ago, is
visiting at home for a few days. He
will be stationed at Lethbridge dur-
ing the summer.

Walker Harvey left Wednesday
morning for Calgary where he will
work in the Chalmers garage. He
will be missed in hockey and baseball
circles.

Charlie Chaplin in "Behind the
Scenes," lived up to reputation as a
funmaker of front rank. The Rev.
was a noisy spot on Monday and Tues-
day nights.

"Two Men of Sandy Bar," typical
western characters of Best Harle, will
be the attraction at the Rex next Mon-
day and Tuesday, with Robert Bos-
worth in the leading role. It is sure
to be good.

Someone reports that one of the
pool rooms on Front street is still
allowing kids under 17 to frequent it.
Pool room owners must walk very
circumspectly if they wish to retain
their licenses. The Wilton pool room
is reported O.K.

The casualty list recently reported
Major C. James as dangerously
wounded. The first report led us to
believe that his wounds were not
serious. His friends are hoping to
hear a more favorable report in a few
days.

Mr. Brad Cross, representative of
the Williams' Place Co., who was in
town recently, has left for Oshawa to
visit the factory. He expects to be
back in a few weeks looking for cus-
tomers for the new scale Williams in
this district. J. M. Soby is the local
agent.

We have been asked to announce
that all cables sent to office or men
serving with the Canadian expedi-
tionary forces in France, be sent di-
rect to France, giving the regimental
number; name, unit, etc., to bear the
words "Canadian Forces." Mes-
sages sent at the special week-end
letter rate should be fully addressed.
These will be forwarded by post from
England by the telegraph company.
No messages should be directed to
the war office.

—Get your Bath at the Alberta
Rooms—See.

Mr. Hugh Shaw, of Midnapore, was
visiting in town last Friday.

Leslie Bar is reported sick with
dysentery in a Lethbridge hospital.

B. Russell, of Clear Lake is visit-
ing in Calgary for a few days.

Mr. Ed Brown left on Wednesday
or a trip to Ontario.

Jack Hagerman, of Calgary, was in
town several days this week.

Dr. Redding, of Calgary was in
town on Monday looking up business.

The new proprietor of the Queen's
hotel took possession on Feb. 1st.

Jack and MacKenzie are still look-
ing for houses to rent.

If you are looking for a large,
clean, comfortable room go to the Al-
berta Rooms, in Millie's Block. 49-4

Mrs. Clark returned from Banff last
Monday, where she has been visiting
with her sister.

Mr. Leach has resigned his
position as janitor of the school and
intends going in extensively for the
nursery stock business.

There will be service in St. John's
Church next Sunday at 11 a.m. and
7:30 p.m. Archibald Dewdney, of
Calgary, will preach at both services.

R. E. Moffatt's rink put up a good
game at the Calgary bungalow. Al-
though not securing any of the trophies
he became very near to winning
one. He lost five games and won five.

The Red Cross will have change of
the skating rink on Tuesday February
6th. Everybody will be welcome.
Admission 25 and 15 cents. The
band will be in attendance.

The Late Mrs. Galde

In our issue of last week, brief re-
ference was made to the death of Mrs.
Erick Galde, who passed away at
Centennial, Wyoming, on Jan. 15th,
in her 63rd year. The deceased lady
came from Norway and settled in
Wisconsin in 1880. From there she
travels to and from Alberta, where
she was among the earliest settlers
in the State. In 1910 they again moved
to Alberta where they have lived ever
since. Her husband, Mr. Eric Galde,
died in Claresholm in 1911. The de-
ceased only left Claresholm in Decem-
ber last, to visit her daughter, Mrs.
Gus Sundby, at Centennial, and while
there she was taken ill and died.

In 1903, Mrs. Galde visited Nor-
way, where she attended the world's
fair and visited friends and relatives.
She is survived by three sons, Ole,
Carl and Edwin, all living in Clare-
sholm, and one daughter, Mrs. Sundby,
who lives in Wyoming.

Recruits Wanted

Considerable difficulty is being
experienced in getting recruits for
the navy in Canada. An endeavor
was being made to raise 5000 men
in the Dominion, and it was hoped
that 2000 of these would be raised
by the end of last December, but up
to Jan. 1st, only 951 have been en-
rolled. While Alberta has been
the front with regards to enlist-
ment in the army, it is disappointing
to see that only 54 men have enlisted
in the navy and we feel certain that
with an enthusiastic campaign many
more young men will offer their
services.

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